

## 6.2 Ohm's Law

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Georg Simon Ohm (1787-1854)

Ohm's Law

$$V = IR$$

$V$  = potential diff (voltage) [V]

$I$  = current [A]

$R$  = resistance [ $\Omega$ ]

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(1.5 k $\Omega$ , 12 A, 25 V)

Resistors - control the amount of current in circuits

- symbol 

- colour-coded by bands

1<sup>st</sup> band

first digit

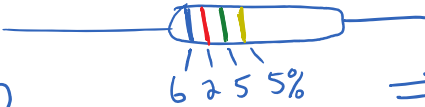
2<sup>nd</sup> band

second digit

3<sup>rd</sup> band

# of zeros after 2<sup>nd</sup> digit

4<sup>th</sup> band manufacturer's tolerance

pg 232   $\Rightarrow 6200000 \Omega \pm 5\%$

Note: no 4<sup>th</sup> band means a 20% tolerance

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Ohm's Law applies to metal/metal-like resistors and only if temperature remains the same.

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$$P = I^2 R$$

$$P = VI$$

$$P = \frac{V^2}{R}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P &= (IR)I \rightarrow P = I^2 R \\ &\rightarrow P = V\left(\frac{V}{R}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$P = \frac{E}{t}$$

Hint: list what you have and are looking for to help decide which formula

Practice pg 234 # 1-3

$2.4 \times 10^2 \Omega$ ,  $24 \Omega$ ,  $220 \text{ kJ}$ ,  $4.5 \times 10^5 \text{ J}$

Batteries/cells have a slight internal resistance ( $r$ ) such that the measured "terminal voltage" is

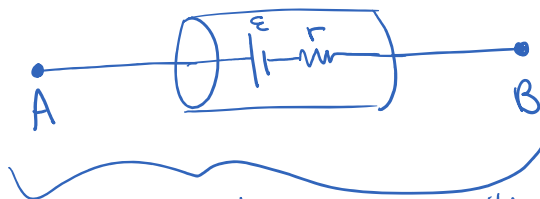
$$V_{AB} = \mathcal{E} - Ir$$

$V_{AB}$  = terminal voltage

$\mathcal{E}$  = emf

$I$  = current

$r$  = internal battery resistance



represents a cell with emf and internal resistance

Practice pg 236 # 2 then # 1

calc current using  $V$  and both resistances first

pg 239 # 1-7 (omit 4c)

corrections: pg 239 # 1  $4.0 \text{ k}\Omega$   
 $4 \text{ h}$   $6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ A}$  or  $6.0 \text{ mA}$

corrections: pg 23<sup>a</sup>  
#1  $4.0\text{ k}\Omega$   
4b  $6 \times 10^{-3}\text{ A}$  or  $6.0\text{ mA}$